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JUSTICE JOHN H. O'DONNELL.—See 5th page.



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It is the wise man who wins.
Be truthful in all things.
It has been an up Hill road.
Mississippi has fallen.
It resulted as The BEE said.
The man who wins is the one who works.
Not a colored man has been recommended by a Mississippian.
What does this mean?
"The fault dear Brutus is in ourselves and not our stars that we are underlings."
Be good citizens and you will succeed.
Brave men will do brave deeds.
Nothing is certain until it is made certain.
It is the man who tells the truth who wins.
A truthful man will succeed.
The Freedmen's hospital is still at the same old stand.
The conspiracy will not work.
There will be some changes in the schools.
Prof. Brown ought to be at the head of the High school.
The people will protect their interest.
In union there is strength.
The BEE is the people's paper.
It makes no straddles.
Honesty is the best policy.
If you want the news read The BEE.
If your enemies attack you, fight.
A man who is on all sides of the fence cannot be trusted.
It is the man who will win.
You must have a good memory to tell the same story twice, especially if it is not true.
A bachelor loves every good looking woman he sees.
It is momentary infatuation.
The way to catch a bachelor is to give him cold comfort.
Cold comfort is good some times.
Of course there was no objection to the filing of Judge Kimball's papers but there will be objections to him.
He will not be reappointed, mark The BEE's prediction.
He will come from a hill in the east.
Never be uneasy when you are right.
Be true to your trust and you will succeed.
Our schools are in need of reorganization.
Be what you seem to be and nothing more.
He who runs will be able to return again.
Never bite off more than you can chew.
It is the sensible man who does good things.
A trickery man will only succeed for a time.
A man who always has something to say about other people can not be trusted.
Don't always tell what you know.
The man who knows it all, knows but little.
Never show your conceit, although you may be conceited.
The detective office will no doubt catch Dorsey Foulz.
It may be some time next year.
If you want a live paper read The BEE.
Ohio will go republican.
Maryland will disappoint the king.
The colored voter will find that he is wrong.
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OHIO BRIGHT.

The latest and most reliable political news from Ohio indicates that the republicans will surely win. Although the campaign is but fairly begun, the democrats have been forced to assume the defensive, and are being driven from post to post, with evidently great loss. It will be remembered that the democrats flushed with their new toy—freedom—silver—and believing it to be the sine qua non, the long lost political loadstone, the terrific and invincible shibboleth, prosecuted vigorous offensive warfare against the republican party. The gong of Bryanism sounded from every hill-top, every bar-room and every street corner. Every aspirant who had gone down before under the weight of public condemnation now became inspired with new hope and hugged the delusion and hurried for King Silver. The republicans were represented as land sharks, money sharks, water sharks and as seeking the destruction of American commerce, American labor, American independence and American civilization. They were leagued with foreigners, sympathized with Spain against Cuba, and had allowed the flag to trail in the dust. All of this, and more, the republicans were represented as having done. But, as if by a sea, me, a change came over the spirit of democracy. The gong began to sound solemnity—a knell instead of a feast. The products of the soil became abundant, and the farmer found a ready market at good prices. The commerce of the nation yielded a balance in its favor. Factories which for two years had been closed resumed business. Forges blazed and spindles hummed the song of prosperity. The laborer sought again his discarded dinner pail and joyously resumed his work with prospects of steady employment at advanced wages. The republicans believing in the justice of their cause, were content to await the result of the policy they had set in motion. They permitted the charge of inefficiency and dishonesty to fall by its own weight. And behold! the democrats are in it. They are now trying to explain that the crops were a visitation of Providence; that wheat and corn were advanced in the markets by designing monopolists and politicians; that friendship for Cuba is insincere and that the prosperity is only temporary.

But somehow the farmer does not believe it. He gets more money for his produce and the main complaint is that he can't get more wheat. The laborer does not seem to care whether his prosperity is temporary or not, for it is far preferable to no prosperity at all, and he will have more faith in a policy which gives him something than in one out of which he continually gets nothing. The democrats, still desperate, are now leaving the main chance and are beating about to offset the losses they have made. They are now cajoling the "colored brother," as they now lovingly call him. It is expected that the usual pat on the back and a condescending smile, accompanied by a few small "fishes" will secure to them the necessary "set-off." It seems, however, that they are not doing so well at the business.

ness. Somehow, the colored citizen does not incline to his democratic brother as lovingly as was expected. On the contrary, they seem to spurn the coup as an insult to their intelligence and their manhood, and are solidifying for the republican cause. Unless all signs fail, the boomerang has gone back to stay, while Mr. Hanna and the republican forces are marching on to victory.

OHIO SURE REPUBLICAN.
Ex-SENATOR BRUCE'S PREDICTION.

Ex-Senator B. K. Bruce has been making speeches in Ohio. He is spending a few days in this city, preparatory to resuming his return to that State. Speaking to a BEE representative today, he said: "Everything promises a great victory. The leading colored men of the State are very active in the canvass. Hon. Geo. A. Myers, State Committeeman; ex-Senator John P. Green, Superintendent of the Stamp Agency of the United States; Mr. Ralph W. Taylor, editor of the Vindicator; Hons. Joe Brown, Clifford, Jackson, Stewart, Parham, Pondexter and others are working like beavers. No State in the Union contains a larger number of intelligent colored men than the State of Ohio. These men are determined to do everything in their power to elect the republican ticket and return Senator Hanna to the United States Senate. Mr. Hanna has the undivided support of the colored voters. They know he is their friend and they are supporting him with a vim. Prosperity, which was predicted by the election of President McKinley is apparent everywhere in the State. The people are happy and contented and they propose to endorse the administration of President McKinley, by piling up an old time republican majority."

OUR SCHOOLS.

The arbitrary action of some of our school trustees must certainly convince the honorable Commissioners of the District of Columbia of the absolute necessity for an immediate change in the personnel of the present board. The suspension of Miss Busa and the removal of Miss Grace Dyson from the principalship of the Lovejoy school, a 5th grade school, which it was said she is not competent to fill, to a sixth grade school, are but a few of the inconsistencies of the supervising power. If Miss Dyson was not competent to fill a fifth grade school, she is not competent to fill a sixth grade school.

Superintendent Cook was not consulted, neither was he asked as to the ability of Miss Dyson to manage the school to which she was transferred. The promotion of certain pet teachers over old and reliable teachers, because they may not look so pretty and prepossessing as some others, should demand the immediate consideration of Commissioner Ross, who is known to be fair and just to all classes of citizens. The fact is, the supervising principal is running rough shod over our superintendent and the trustees are not inclined to call him to a halt.

A change in the trustee board is an absolute necessity.

JUDGE KIMBALL'S SUCCESSOR.

THE BEE presents this week a brief sketch and portrait of the probable successor of Judge I. G. Kimball, of the Police Court.

Without exception, Justice O'Donnell is one of the most active and successful Justices we have. He is a man without prejudice and undoubtedly possessing a keen conception of human nature, which is a necessary requisite as Judge of the Police Court. This is Judge Miller's success on the bench, in connection with his knowledge of the law.

Entering the army at such a tender age is an evidence that Justice O'Donnell possesses nerve.

A WARNING.

The colored republicans of Maryland are making a grave mistake in their refusal to support the republican ticket. What can be gained by supporting the democratic party? Does not all of the opposition to the appointment of colored men to office come from the democratic party? Is not the recent attempted assassination of the colored postmaster in the south an evidence of the feeling of the democratic party against the colored voter? What, then, is to be gained by aiding to place the democratic party in power? Will the negro learn no sense whatever? THE BEE warns the colored voters of the country to beware of false leadership and the advice of disgruntled politicians who have failed in their political aspirations. It is safer for a colored man to live under a republican administration, without office, than it is to live in false hopes of receiving recognition from the democratic party.

In the first place, no inducements have been offered by the democratic party.

There is a disposition on the part of a few colored politicians in Ohio to defeat the republican ticket. Why? Because a few of them who think they should have office have failed to receive an. Ohio will go republican, notwithstanding the bad advice given to the colored voters and the failure of the kickers to get an office. Where will the Ohio colored kickers be when the fight is over? In the soup. Take warning, colored voters.

THE BEE learns from Ex-Senator Bruce that Hon. Geo. A. Myers, of Cleveland, Ohio, was struck by a street car, and was painfully, but not seriously injured. THE BEE hopes that he will be out soon, as the party is greatly in need of his services.

While Col. Jim Hill was engaged in running Louisiana, Alabama, Kentucky, Ohio, Mississippi, the District of Columbia, and, indeed, the entire south, he heard something of the Mississippi. Lynch was at his stable door.

The colored republicans of Maryland will find themselves in the soup by kicking.

When a politician kicks he should know whether it has taken effect.

Senator Hanna is not bothered Ohio will go republican.

The Cleveland (Ohio) Gazette will not defeat the ticket.

GOOD APPOINTMENT.

The appointment of Dr. Geo. H. Richardson and Rev. Sterling M. Brown meets the hearty approval of the people.

PLOTING AGAINST MR. COOK.
A SCHEME TO REMOVE HIM. IS IT A BARGAIN AND SALE?

THE BEE has discovered a plot on foot to remove Superintendent Geo. F. T. Cook, and appoint one of the pet teachers. There are three trustees in this bargain and sale business. For a vote against Mr. Cook is one of the trustees to have the normal school for his sister. Miss Lucy Moten is to be displaced. Mr. Cook one of the best known educators in this country and a man of honor and integrity. The trustees or some of them cannot use Mr. Cook nor will he be bulldozed by white men in whose interest some of these trustees are working. The opinion of many, is that this scheme is to remove Mr. Cook for some white man if they fail to get the pet colored applicant. THE BEE will give full particulars next week.

John H. Gates who keeps at No. 1225 11th street southeast is where the boys go to get good beer, wines and whiskeys. Mr. Gates is a man much liked by all classes.

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INDORSES THE SPEECH.

Compliments to Our Colored Lawyers.

Urges Union and Race Support.

Dr. J. N. Johnson writes:

Editor Washington BEE:

Although I am very tardy in this duty, I must compliment you on your able, timely speech, delivered at Frederick, to the colored citizens of Maryland. Maryland is the only State in the Union whose colored people commemorate their day of emancipation together at a single place. This they do yearly and without a single exception. You urged union, not only to celebrate, but to accomplish real useful and necessary ends for the good of thousands of negroes in Maryland. I want to ask, Will the colored brethren heed that sound advice? What say our prominent men at Frederick and Baltimore, in whom all the race in that State have full confidence? I noted some time since that there was much dissatisfaction among the colored voters in that State regarding their treatment at the hands of their white party allies. I do not know what course they have adopted, but I do know that union of the colored people of the State will bring to bear such wisdom as will direct them properly in their own interests, whether it be to let the white brother have all the offices and continue their support to the grand old party and to have the republican State government to force recognition of colored people's rights in Maryland, or whether the race will take their pay in a few offices for the leaders and let the rights and interests of the masses go, is not for me to say. I love the State of Maryland, the place of my birth, the soil that contains the murdered body of my sainted father, the home of many of my near and dear relatives.

I would like to see the rights of colored people respected in Maryland to the extent of being allowed on juries. They are no more allowed to sit on juries in republican Maryland than they are in democratic Alabama. In some of the cities and villages of Maryland a negro cannot buy or rent a home.

Brethren in Maryland are tardy of their duty if they disregard Chase's advice. Now, Bro. Chase, I want to call special attention to some of our Washington colored lawyers whom I think deserve special mention for their skill and ability, as well as the industry they display, in hunting up the interests of colored people whose interests fall in the toils, often doing this without pay. Your able defense and success in the Goodale case, where a spiteful, presumptuous officer, a constitutional defier who hunts in houses without warrants, wished to vent his spleen and send a negro to the pen on his spurious statement, charging him with perjury. M. M. Holland, in preventing the wrong negro from being held on flimsy guess (not testimony) that he was the assaulter of Mrs. Chandler near Tennytown, is worthy of commendation. Hewlett's interest in having released by the police department the colored man Thomas, held for assault near Laurel, on no papers at all, was a fortunate act for Thomas, for he was doubtless saved from being lynched, although innocent. Langston and Jones need no introduction; they have strong race sympathies, which make negro clients as well as white ones safe in their hands. Well, there is Ricks, Martin, Peyton, and Ambler, who can also be relied on to give their clients and their interests able defense. I must not neglect mention J. F. Bundy, R. S. Smith, Thomas Walker, J. H. Stewart, and Robert H. Terrell, who give most of their attention to civil business. All these able colored lawyers, and others I might mention, are worthy of a hearty support, not only of the citizens of the District, of the country at large that needs the service of an attorney here at the capital.

I write this, Mr. Editor, because the newspapers, colored as well as white, are slow to notice any merit in our colored lawyers anywhere, notwithstanding the obstacles against which they have to contend. I must say this in justice to the courts here and to disabuse the minds of the few colored people who doubt a negro lawyer's chance of winning difficult cases; that the colored lawyer in Washington has as good a chance as a white one.

The judges have no prejudice against them, not half so much as some colored people have, who are quick to question a negro's ability. Give these men the support you should and set the proper example to others elsewhere in the country.

While I have always stood up for our colored ministers, I must criticize them a little for their failure to give colored enterprises and colored talent the benefit of their influence; for many of them, though supported by the race alone, they throw their influence in favor of white talent in too many instances. This is not practicing the doctrine we preach. Let our ministers be a little less selfish, and our cause will thrive more.

J. N. JOHNSON, M. D.

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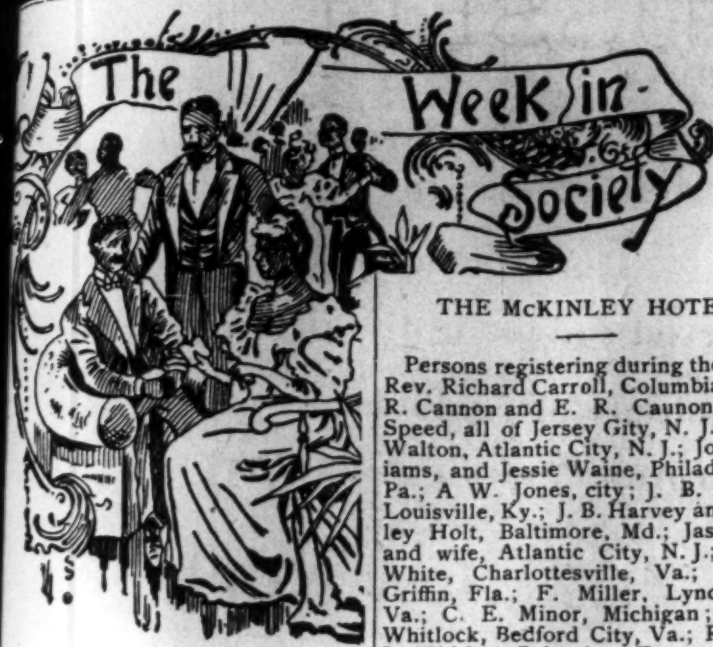
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R. Cannon and E. R. Causton, D. E.
Speed, all of Jersey City, N. J.; R. C.
Walton, Atlantic City, N. J.; Joe Wil-
liams, and Jessie Waine, Philadelphia,
Pa.; A. W. Jones, city; J. B. Curtis,
Louisville, Ky.; J. B. Harvey and Wes-
ley Holt, Baltimore, Md.; Jas. Scott
and wife, Atlantic City, N. J.; S. H.
White, Charlottesville, Va.; E. F.
Griffin, Fla.; F. Miller, Lynchburg,
Va.; C. E. Minor, Michigan; W. J.
Whitlock, Bedford City, Va.; Rev. D.
L. Whitley, Columbus, Tex.

SHADD AND CORNISH GO.

Four new trustees of the public
schools were appointed Thursday,
by the District Commissioners. Gen.
Ellis Spear, of Mount Pleasant, to suc-
ceed Dr. A. H. Witmer; Mrs. Miranda
B. Tulloch, to succeed Mrs. Louise
Reed Stowell; Mr. Geo. H. Richard-
son, colored, to succeed Mr. L. A.
Cornish, colored; and Mr. Sterling M.
Brown, to succeed Dr. J. J. Shadd.
The appointment of Dr. Geo. H.
Richardson and Rev. Sterling M.
Brown, places two able men on the
school board. Dr. Richardson is an
educator and a man of brains. The
Bee congratulates Col. J. W. Ross.

COMMISSIONER ROSS TAKES
A HAND.

MISS BUSH'S SUSPENSION ILLEGAL—
THE ALLEGED INSUBORDINATION—
SMART SUPV. PRINCIPAL SAT—
SMILES A PIQUE—THE SUPER-
INTENDENT IGNORED—
MRS. TERRELL MUST
SHOW CAUSE.

Commissioner John W. Ross, who has
charge of the public schools of this
city, was confronted with the forced
action of Mrs. Terrell this week,
which compelled him to request the
lady trustee to show cause for the
suspension of Miss Annie E.
Bush from her school, which will cause
the young lady to lose her salary for
the month of September.

The suspension of Miss Bush was
for an alleged insubordination, in that
she refused to comply with the re-
quests of Mr. Waring, the supervising
principal, who likes to show to the
teachers under him that he is boss and
not superintendent Cook.

Miss Bush is a very amiable young
lady, whose health is not the best and
whose physician has warned her to
keep out of crowds.
It seems that Miss Katie Lewis,
principal in the colored schools, re-
quested Miss Bush to take part in a
certain church entertainment; the
young lady informed the principal that
her physician had warned her that
she must keep out of crowds, and her
physical condition would not permit
her to take part in entertainments.
For this she was reported to super-
vising principal Waring, who has been
rather smart ever since his appoint-
ment. He reported the matter to Mrs.
Terrell when he should have reported
it to the superintendent, Mr. Cook, for
investigation, and he would have de-
cided whether it was a case of insubor-
dination that necessitated the lady to
be suspended from her school and lose
her pay. Mrs. Terrell, the trustee,
without hearing the lady's side of the
story, so it is said, suspended her with-
out the knowledge of superintendent
Cook. When Miss Bush called to see
Mrs. Terrell, to ascertain why she was
suspended, the lady trustee was no
very complimentary in her language
towards Miss Bush and manifested a
feeling not at all pleasant. When Su-
perintendent Cook was made aware of
the matter, he did not hesitate to say
that he saw nothing for which Miss
Bush should apologize. Mrs. Terrell,
having been made aware of her action,
hurried to Superintendent Cook and
reported the same.

Mrs. Terrell and supervising prin-
cipal Waring were summoned to appear
before the Commissioner this week.
The case of Miss Grace Dyson will
also be presented to Commissioner
Ross this week, which is another one
of Waring's recommendations to Mrs.
Terrell without the knowledge or con-
sent of the superintendent.

LATER DEVELOPMENTS.
The latest developments in Miss
Bush's case are that Commissioner
Ross called for statements from Mrs.
Terrell, supervising principal Waring
and Miss Lewis. Their statements
tend to show that Miss Bush was ex-
tremely insubordinate and that other
methods should have been adopted
other than suspension. Miss Bush re-
ported her case to Superintendent
Cook, who should have investigated it
but failed to do so, so said Commissioner
Ross. The date of Miss Bush's
insubordination dates back one year.
Miss Lewis, the principal, often asked
Miss Bush if she had done anything to
her that she should act in such a man-
ner.

The papers in the case have been
sent to Miss Bush to give her a chance
to explain it away if she can.
If Miss Bush cannot explain away
the statements of the school officials,
the lady stands guilty of insubordina-
tion. Commissioner Ross is willing,
and has always been willing, to right
any wrong that may be perpetrated
upon those under his jurisdiction, but
he will not, and cannot sustain wrong-
doing. The superintendent was not
notified until after the suspension of
Miss Bush, and he has been systemati-
cally ignored by the supervising prin-
cipal. Mr. Cook knew nothing about
the matter until long after Miss Bush's
suspension.

TO LYNCHBURG AND RETURN.

One of the grandest and one of the
cheapest excursions will go to Lynch-
burg, Va., over the Southern Railroad
October 13-14. The round trip will be
only \$2.50. Special attractions at
Lynchburg: October 13-15, State Fair;
October 13, Buffalo Bill's Wild West
Show; October 13, C. B. by Senator
J. W. Daniels. The train will go
through the battlefields of Manassas,
Bull Run, and Brandy Station, and in
view of Montpelier, home of Madison;
Monticello, home of Jefferson, and the
University of Virginia. Don't fail to
take this trip in.

Art Notes.

OF THE COLUMBIA NEGRO ART
ASSOCIATION.

Miss Sallie N. Jett, one of our
leading teachers, is now teaching a
fine class at Passaic, N. J. She is meet-
ing with success on every hand. She
taught several fine classes in New
England this summer.

Miss Emma L. Thompson, who was
the winner of the prize at the Col-
umbia Negro Art Normal, held last
month in Boston, Mass., is selling the
largest number of tickets at the art
exhibition, is now teaching a fine class
in Montclair, N. J. She is a fine teach-
er. The class she taught in Boston,
was a success.

Miss Clara A. Johnson, who stood
such a high examination in the art
normal at Boston, Mass., is now teach-
ing a fine class at Rutherford, N. J.,
and is meeting with success. She
paints fine pictures and is one of the
most talented of the art association.
Her picture of Rev. Reid of Annapolis,
Md., was a masterpiece of work.

Miss Anna E. Washington, of Phila-
delphia, who is now teaching a class
at Hackensack, N. J., is meeting with
success. She is a good teacher and
her work at Worcester, Mass., proved
her to be a competent teacher and a
good painter. She is being assisted
by Mr. J. T. Monroe, of Boston, Mass.

Mrs. M. C. Davare, who is teaching
a fine class in Patterson, N. J., is a
faithful teacher and is making an ar-
tistic mark in Patterson. She is an
excellent teacher and her work speaks
for itself. She is being assisted by Mr.
A. W. Shaw, of Boston, Mass., a
young man who bids fare to be one of
our leading artists.

Miss Annie E. Hurdle, who did such
fine work in Boston, Mass., during the
setting of the normal and whose pic-
ture came so near taking the gold
medal, is now teaching in Morristown,
N. J. She is one of the best teachers
in the company, and all her pictures
are fine and finished up in style.

Mr. B. F. Lineberger, who took
down the gold medal at Boston, Mass.,
at the National Columbia Negro Art
Normal, by painting a fine picture of
Bishop Hood, is now using artistic
brush in Morristown, N. J., and all
his pictures are much pleased with his
work. He stands high in the artistic world, and is
a great lover of his race. He left a land
mark on the banks of the artistic river
in Worcester, Mass. His name will
never be forgotten in that city. He
will be manager of the branch studio
that will be located in Baltimore, Md.,
that is now being worked up by the
association.

Mr. G. T. Davage, general advance
manager of the Columbia Negro Art
Association, is working in schools on
the eastern shores of Maryland, and
will put fine teachers to work next
week. He is a great organizer and
faithful worker, for the upbuilding of
his people in the business world. His
lectures are just what our people need
and will do all good who go to hear
him. He is a good artist and painter,
and his pictures are much pleased with
his work. The National Columbia
Negro Association of artists, presented
him with a handsome gold medal as
an organizer.

Mrs. Mary E. Robinson, who was
the lucky winner of the silver medal at
the normal of the Columbia National
Negro Art Association by her fine
painting in Boston, is now teaching in
Baltimore, Md., at Wayman's A. M.
E. chapel, and is meeting with suc-
cess.

Mr. A. T. Moore, who has just closed
a large class in Ankeny, Mass., near
Boston, is also teaching in Baltimore,
he is a fine teacher and a good artist.

Miss Jennie C. Mills, of Providence,
R. I., is now teaching a class in Bal-
timore, at Division Street Baptist
church. Her last school was in Cam-
bridge, Mass.

Mr. Alfred Taylor, who has just
closed a school in Cambridge, is now
teaching a class in Eaton, Md., near
Baltimore.

Mr. Elmer H. Brown and Misses
Emily G. Cross and Hattie O. Cuffer,
will all teach in Baltimore, also Mrs.
Lillia Gordon, of Philadelphia.

Mr. W. C. O. Jacques, has com-
menced a series of lectures in Balti-
more, on "How shall we as a race,
better our condition in the business
world," and his lectures are being at-
tended with crowded houses. Much
good is being done a long line of
race improvement and doing some-
thing for themselves. He is making
a raid on the dudes. He is meeting
with fine success in organizing art
classes.

ANOTHER POSTMASTER AS-
SAULTED.
NO REST FOR THE NEGRO—A LESSON
FOR NEGRO DEMOCRATS.
(Special to the Bee.)

Lake City, S. C., Sept. 21, 1897.
Mr. F. B. Baker, the colored post-
master, was assaulted in this town and
few days ago by white democrats. Mr.
Baker is the colored postmaster of
Williamsburg, Co. The white people
refused to deposit their mail with the
colored postmaster until he informed
them that two government detectives
had been sent to Williamsburg by
Postmaster-General Gray. This fright-
ened the white negro-hating democrats
to such an extent that they are now
depositing their mail with the colored
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to Hoffman's "Race Traits and Ten-
dencies," which was read before the
Bethel Literary, the Hampton Negro Acade-
my and the American Negro Acade-
my. Copies can be obtained from Mr.
J. W. Cromwell, 1439 506 Pierce Place,
Mr. John H. Wills, 11th street n. w. o

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JUDGE KIMBALL. A BRAVE SOLD-
IER AND A GOOD CITIZEN.

Among the leading candidates for
Judge of the Police Court, to succeed
Judge I. G. Kimball, is Justice John H.
O'Donnell, one of the best known law-
yers and justices in the city. He has
a brilliant army record, having served
from '64 till the close of the war and is
the youngest member of the Union
Veterans' Union which alone is indica-
tive of having smelt powder and saw
shots and shells flying from the guns
of the enemy. No man has a more
brilliant record than Justice O'Donnell
who entered the army at the age of
13. He is now just 46 years old, com-
paratively a young man. He is pleas-
ing in his manners; tall, erect and a
positive character.

He was appointed Justice of the
Peace, by ex-President Benjamin H.
Harrison, April 20, 1892, and when
Mr. Cleveland was elected the District
democrats made a strong fight for his
place, and would have succeeded, but
Justice O'Donnell's French move
out-generated the opposition, and Mr.
Cleveland informed the District dem-
ocratic organization that he was a
competent man and entitled to re-ap-
pointment, which position he now
holds and has acceptably filled. He
is one of the most prominent mem-
bers of the District bar and a lawyer
of distinguished parts. He is an active
member of the Washington Commem-
orative No. 1, Knight Templars and a
man who is popular with all classes of
citizens. The entire Ohio delegation,
headed by Senator Hanna will make
a strong fight for Justice O'Donnell.
He is also the choice of Secretary of
State, Sherman and indeed the choice
of a large portion of the colored citi-
zens. There is no man more popular
among the best elements of the
colored population than he is.

He is one man appointed will as
sist in raising the standard of the
Police Court and judge cases himself
without the dictation of the court offi-
cials. It is believed that he would be
an impartial expounder of the law and
fair in his disposition of persons
brought before him.

A man who has served his country
so well and at such a tender age, is
entitled to the respect and the highest
consideration of administrative pow-
ers.

The Union Veterans' Union doesn't
admit cowards nor men who have
never smelt powder and seen the fly-
ing of shot and shell.
The soldier in the late war of the
rebellion, can not receive too much
consideration at the hands of the gov-
ernment. Those who were brave
enough to leave home, father and
mother, sister and brother and thou-
sands have left wife and children out-
right to be forgotten. The preservation
of this republic was dearer to those
brave comrades than home, father
and mother, sister and brother, or
wife.

If the Judicial toga of the Police
Court is to be placed upon other
shoulders, Justice John H. O'Donnell,
in the opinion of the many thousands
people in this city, is the man to
succeed him.
The appointment of Judge Kimball's
successor will be considered some
time in December. His term as judge
will expire January '98 and from the
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LITERARY NOTES.

THE NEW TENANTS OF THE WHITE
HOUSE.

The first and only pictures Mrs. Mc-
Kinley has had taken in taken in ten
years appear in the October number of
The Ladies' Home Journal. They
form part of a series of new and unpub-
lished photographs of the new occu-
pants of the White House. Mrs. Mc-
Kinley wore for her picture her in-
augural ball dress of silver and white
brocade, at the special request of the
President, who thought it particularly
becoming. The excellent portrait of
McKinley in his office was taken in
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sippi will learn a lesson.

What the bolting colored republi-
cans of Maryland can gain.

If living under republican rule is
not better than democratic.

What explanation did Mrs. Terrell
make to Mr. Ross.

Is it not dangerous to follow the ad-
vice of a too-smart supervising prin-
cipal?

WHAT THE BEE WOULD LIKE
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Colored republicans united.

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John C. Dancy will be Collector of
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Dr. Geo. H. Richardson will suc-
ceed Mr. Cornish.

Mrs. Terrell will have to send in her
resignation.

Mrs. J. T. Layton will be the next
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Supervising principal Waring will
be made to know his place.

The superintendent of public schools
will be consulted hereafter.

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Maria:—Don't become uneasy because your next door neighbor chances to look a little better than you do. Remember the fact, that it is not fine dress that constitutes ladyship. Personal attraction and beauty are often possessed by the most lude wretches, while their plainer sisters are much more appreciated for their respectability and good behavior.

Essie:—Yes, I certainly would like to see more truthfulness in men, especially when they exact so much from women.

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- 2nd. Hiram Abiff Lodge No. 3 will meet at Sanctuary No. 5, 419 New Jersey Ave., n. w., October 7, at 8 p. m. Very important.
- 3rd. After October 4th the office of Grand Secretary General and General Grand Secretary will be at 419 New Jersey Ave., n. w. Office hours from 10:30 a. m. to 2 p. m. each day.
- 4th. Commencing with October 9th, the regular School of Instruction will be resumed at Sanctuary No. 5, New Jersey Ave. Brethren will pass the word.
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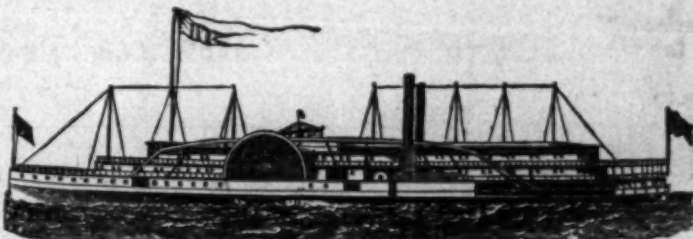
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